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SUBJECT: FIVE POWER DEMARCHE TO MOBUTU ON REFORM

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1. DEPARTMENT WISHES TO REITERATE AND RE-ENFORCE ITS VIEW THAT PROMPT, JOINT DEMARCHE TO GOZ ON REFORMS IS ESSENTIAL.
2. WE BELIEVE TEXT WORKED OUT IN KINSHASA IS PREFERABLE (REFTEL) BUT IF ACCEPTANCE OF THAT TEXT CAUSES DELAYS IN AGREED DEMARCHE, WE ARE WILLING TO ACCEPT EARLIER TEXT WORKED OUT IN PARIS.

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2. OUR PREFERENCE WOULD BE TO MAKE JOINT DEMARCHE TO ZAIRIAN WHOM MOBUTU HAS REPORTEDLY DESIGNATED AS CHIEF OF HIS ECONOMIC PLANNING TEAM, BIENGIMANA, WHO RECENTLY HEADED GOZ TEAM IN WASHINGTON TALKS WITH IFI'S. HOWEVER, THERE IS CONSIDERABLE DOUBT THAT OTHER FOUR POWERS HAVE SUFFICIENT KNOWLEDGE OF BIENGIMANA'S STATUS (HE IS NOT RPT NOT HEADING GOZ TEAM TO BRUSSELS

TALKS) AND OF HIS RELATIONSHIP TO MOBUTU TO ALLOW THEM
TO AGREE QUICKLY THAT HE SHOULD BE CHANNEL FOR OUR
DEMARCHE.

3. ACCORDINGLY, IF FIVE CANNOT AGREE ON BISENGIMANA
TODAY WE ARE READY TO MAKE INDIVIDUAL DEMARCHES,
WORKING FROM AGREED TEXT, TO ZAIRIAN AMBASSADORS OR
CHARGE'S IN FIVE CAPITALS. DEPUTY SECRETARY CHRISTOPHER
WOULD, IN THIS CASE, MAKE DEMARCHE IN WASHINGTON. VANCE

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